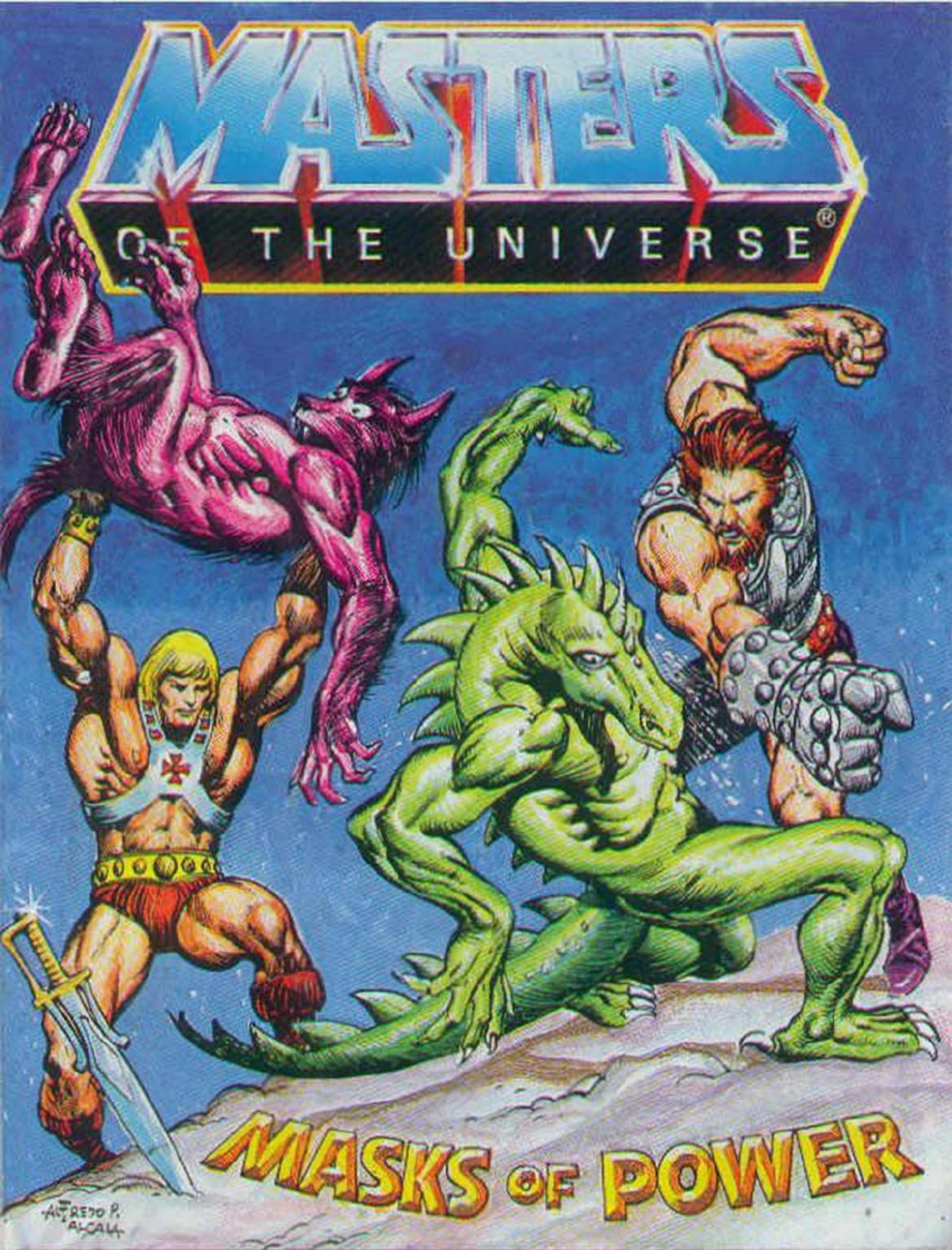




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MASKS OF POWER

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THE LEGENDARY PLANET OF ETERNIA HOLDS, MANY SECRETS AND ONE OF PRINCE ADAM'S HOBBIES IS UNCOVERING THE MYSTERIES OF ANCIENT RUINS.

LOOK, FISTO, THE MYSTIC MASKS OF POWER. WHOEVER WEARS THEM GAINS TREMENDOUS STRENGTH TO USE FOR GOOD OR EVIL.

MASKS OF POWER

FROM AFAR, SKELETOR AND EVIL-LYN WATCH WITH GLEEFUL GREED.

EVIL-LYN, SEND THE ORCS TO FETCH THOSE MASKS--FOR ME!

THAT NIGHT
THE EVIL
ORCS
ENTER
THE
SECRET
CHAMBER--

THE MASK
MAKES ME FEEL
DIFFERENT--
STRONGER!

MORE
EVIL!
HA! HA!
HA!

SUDDENLY...

THE COMMOTION CAPTURES FISTO'S EYE AS HE SCOUTS NEARBY.

ADAM,
SOMETHING'S
GOING ON
DOWN
THERE. I
BETTER
TAKE A
LOOK.

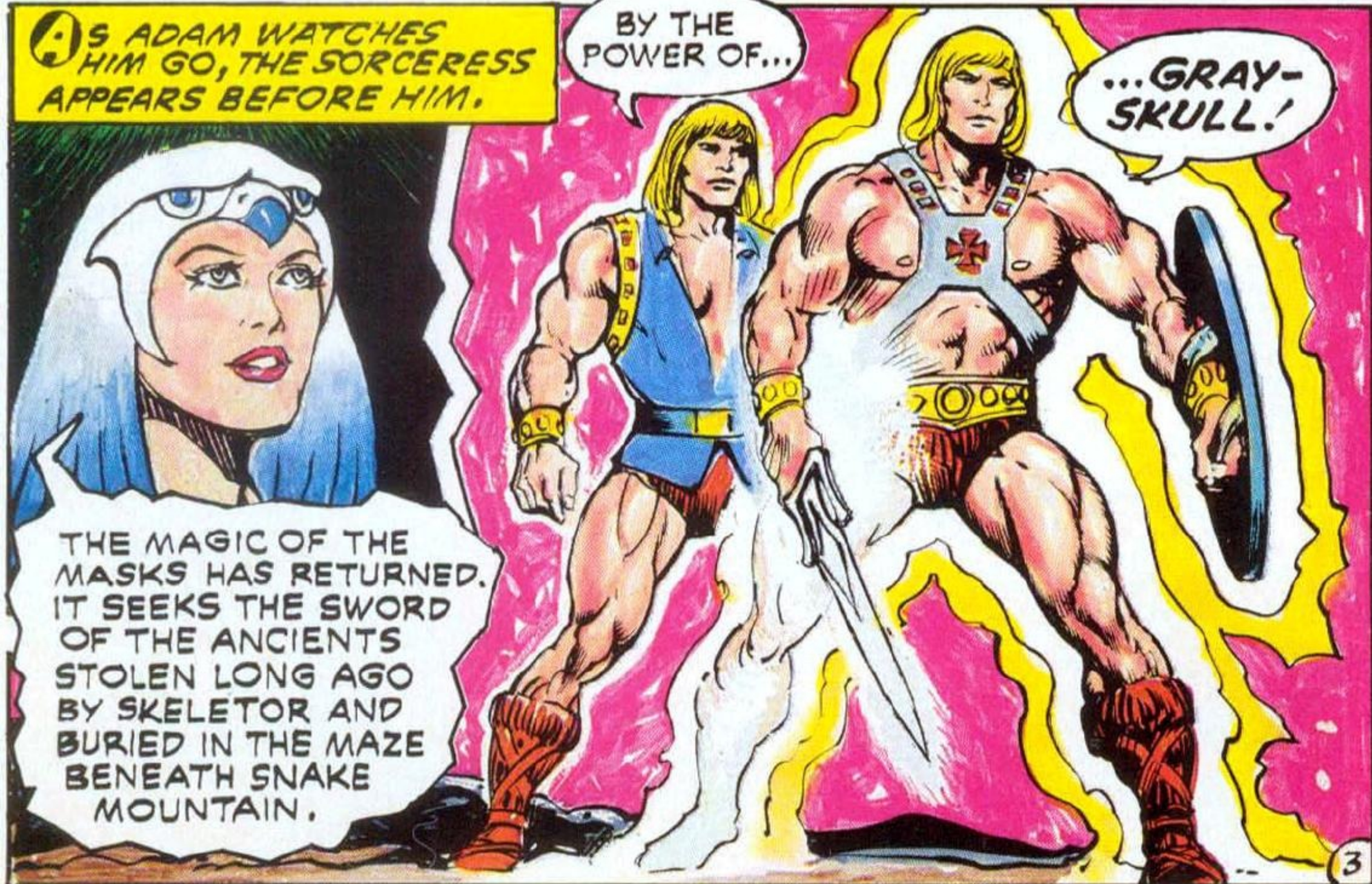


AS ADAM WATCHES HIM GO, THE SORCERESS APPEARS BEFORE HIM.

BY THE
POWER OF...

...GRAY-
SKULL!

THE MAGIC OF THE MASKS HAS RETURNED. IT SEEKS THE SWORD OF THE ANCIENTS STOLEN LONG AGO BY SKELETOR AND BURIED IN THE MAZE BENEATH SNAKE MOUNTAIN.



HE-MAN FINDS FISTO CAUGHT IN THE FRAY...

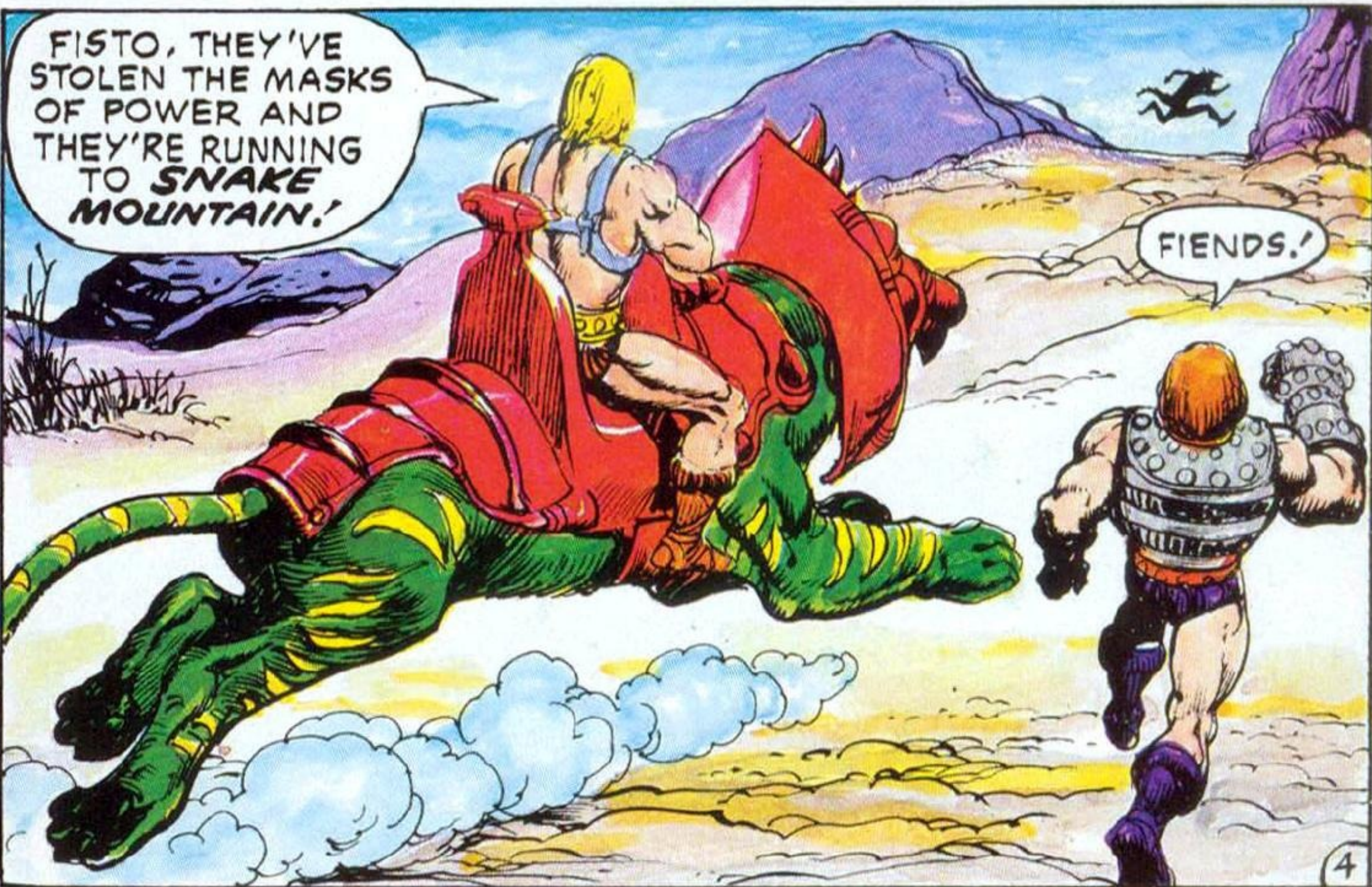
BY ETERNIA! THEY
LOOK LIKE THE **MASKS!**

RIGHT YOU
ARE, MY
FRIEND!



FISTO, THEY'VE
STOLEN THE MASKS
OF POWER AND
THEY'RE RUNNING
TO **SNAKE
MOUNTAIN!**

FIENDS!

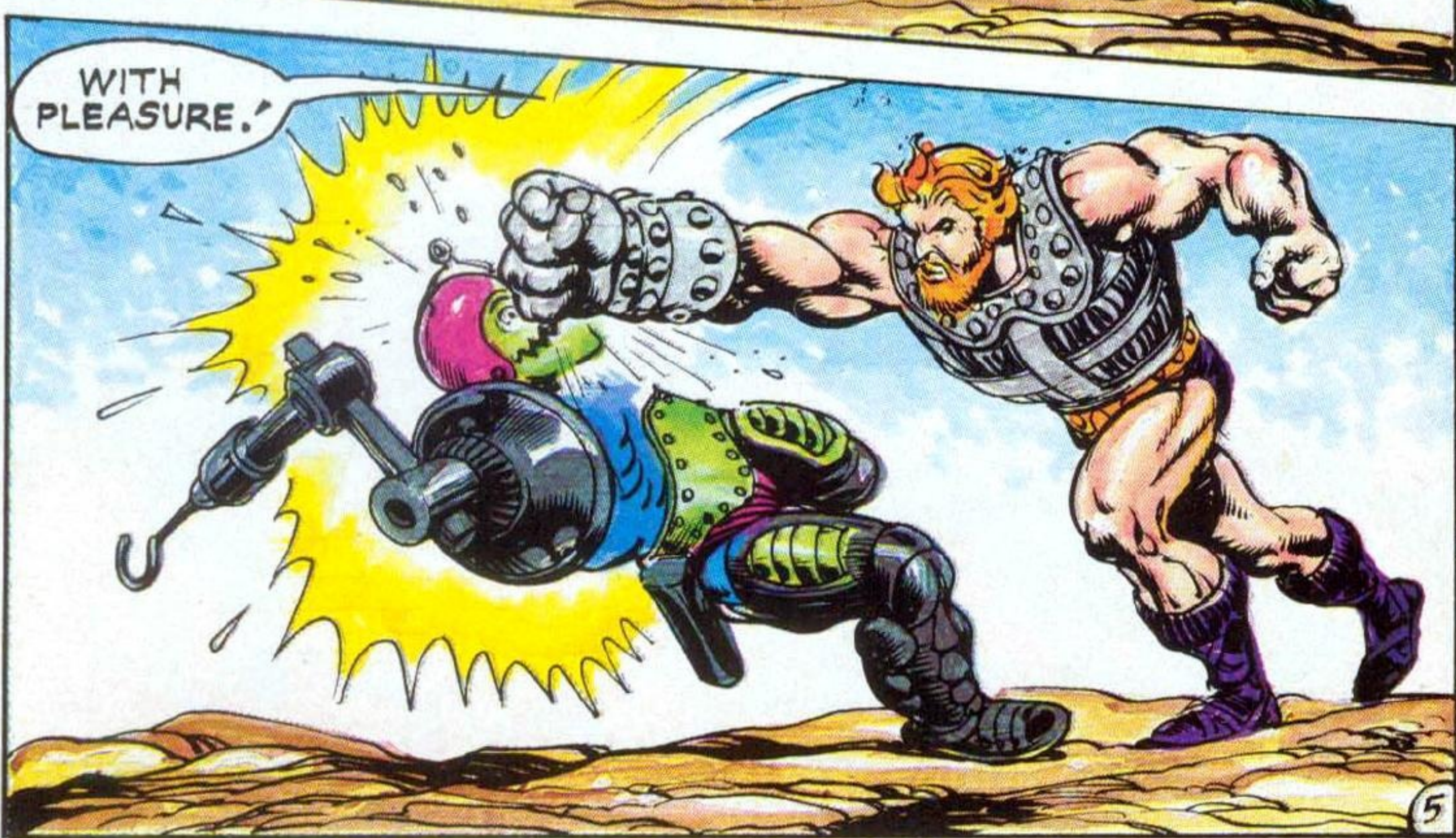


ARRIVING AT SNAKE MOUNTAIN, OUR HEROES ARE GREETED BY SKELETOR'S EVIL HENCHMEN.

WE'LL TAKE CARE OF THESE THUGS FIRST, THEN DEAL WITH SKELETOR!



WITH PLEASURE!



SKELETOR, SHOW
ME THE MAZE OR THE
PLANET IS DOOMED.

I HAVE NO CHOICE. THE DEMONS
IMPRISONED ME IN THIS CAGE OF
SORCERY. FOR NOW, WE MUST WORK
TOGETHER OR BE DESTROYED.

MER-MAN,
SHOW THEM
THE WAY.



ARGGHH! OWWWWWW!

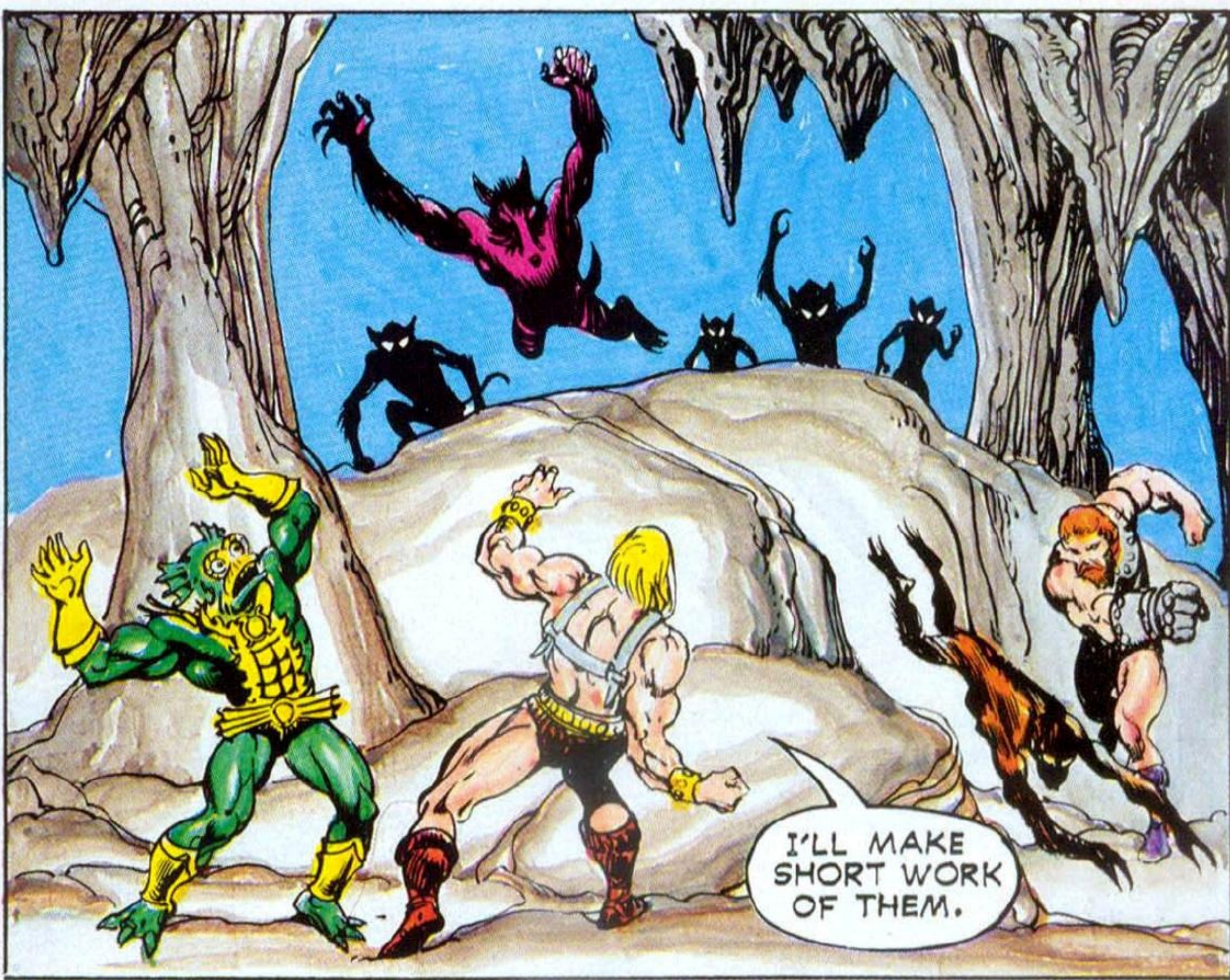
ARGH! I'VE
NEVER BEEN
THIS DEEP
BEFORE.

WELL, SOMEONE'S
BEEN HERE BEFORE US.



THE
DEMONS!

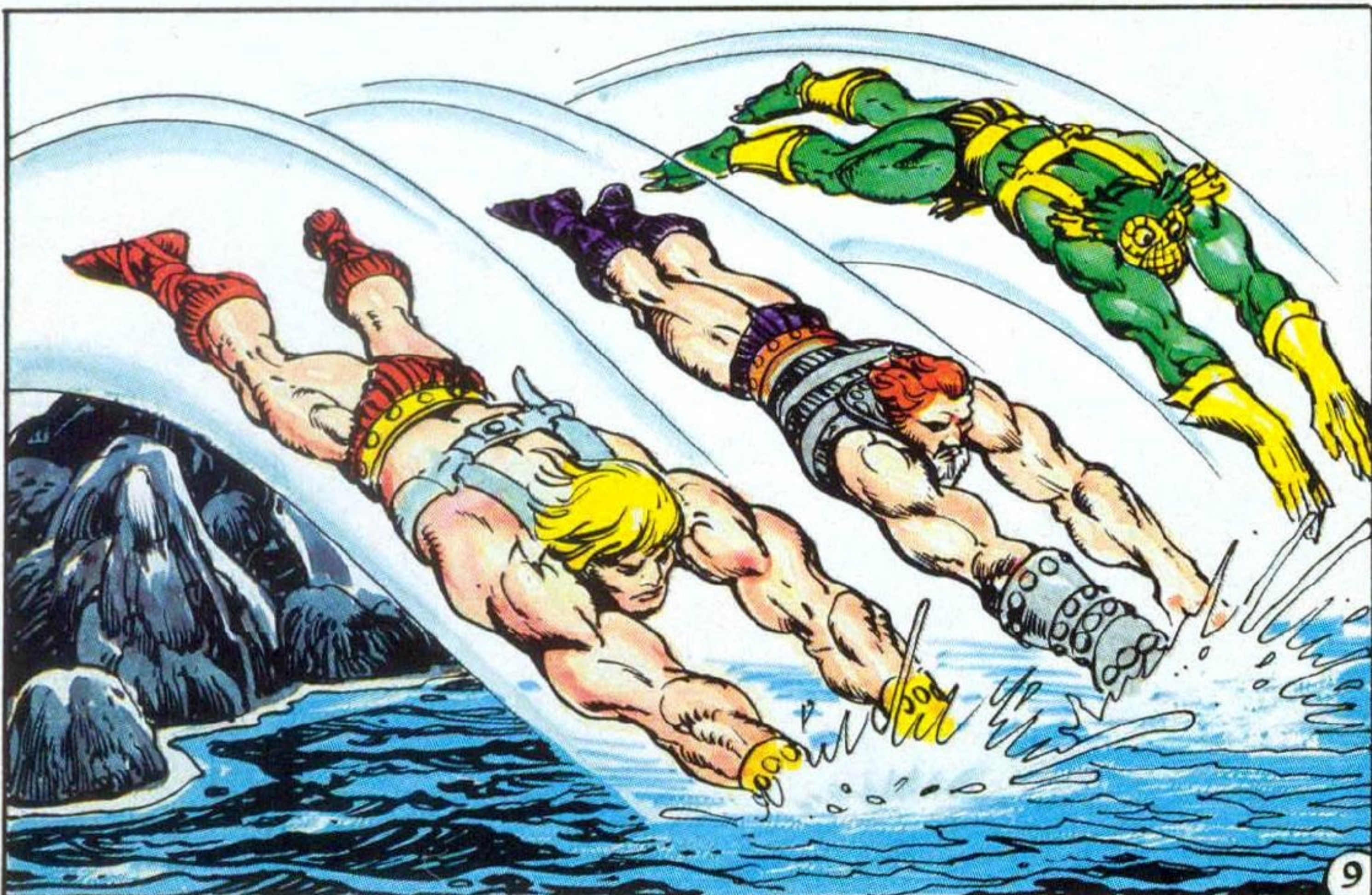




HE-MAN... THERE
IS AN UNDERWATER
ENTRANCE.

MER-MAN,
WE'RE GOING
UNDER WATER.

MY
TERRITORY
AT LAST!



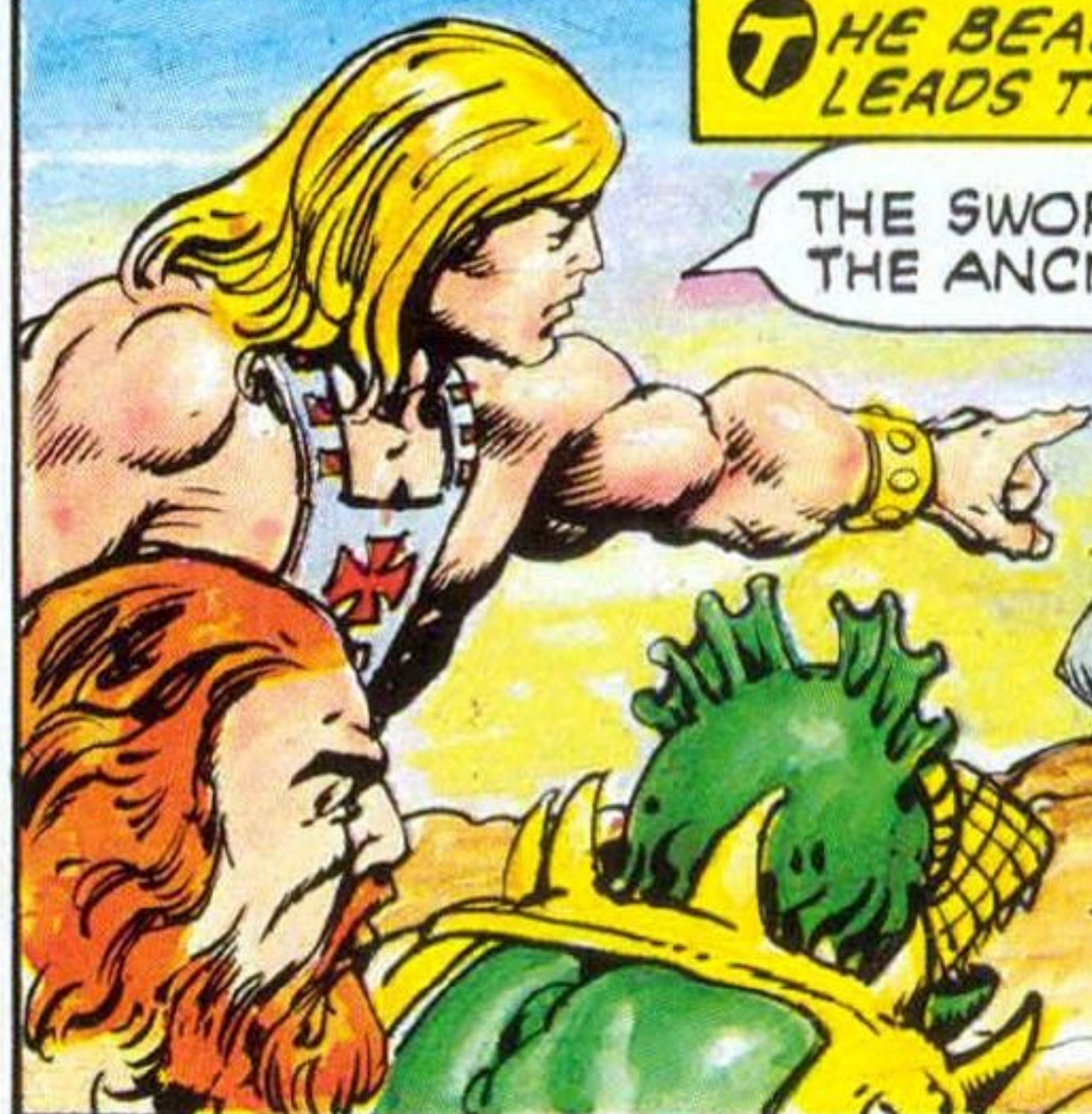
MER-MAN, YOU FOOL!
CALL OFF THE BEASTS
AND LET HE-MAN
LEAD YOU
TO THE
SWORD!



BACK! BACK!
I MER-MAN, RULER
OF THE DEEP
COMMAND YOU!

THE BEASTS GONE, HE-MAN
LEADS THE OTHERS ASHORE.

THE SWORD OF
THE ANCIENTS!



...BUT IT'S BURIED
IN THAT QUARTZ
ROCK. NO ONE CAN
REMOVE IT!

QUICK, BEFORE
HE GETS THE
SWORD!

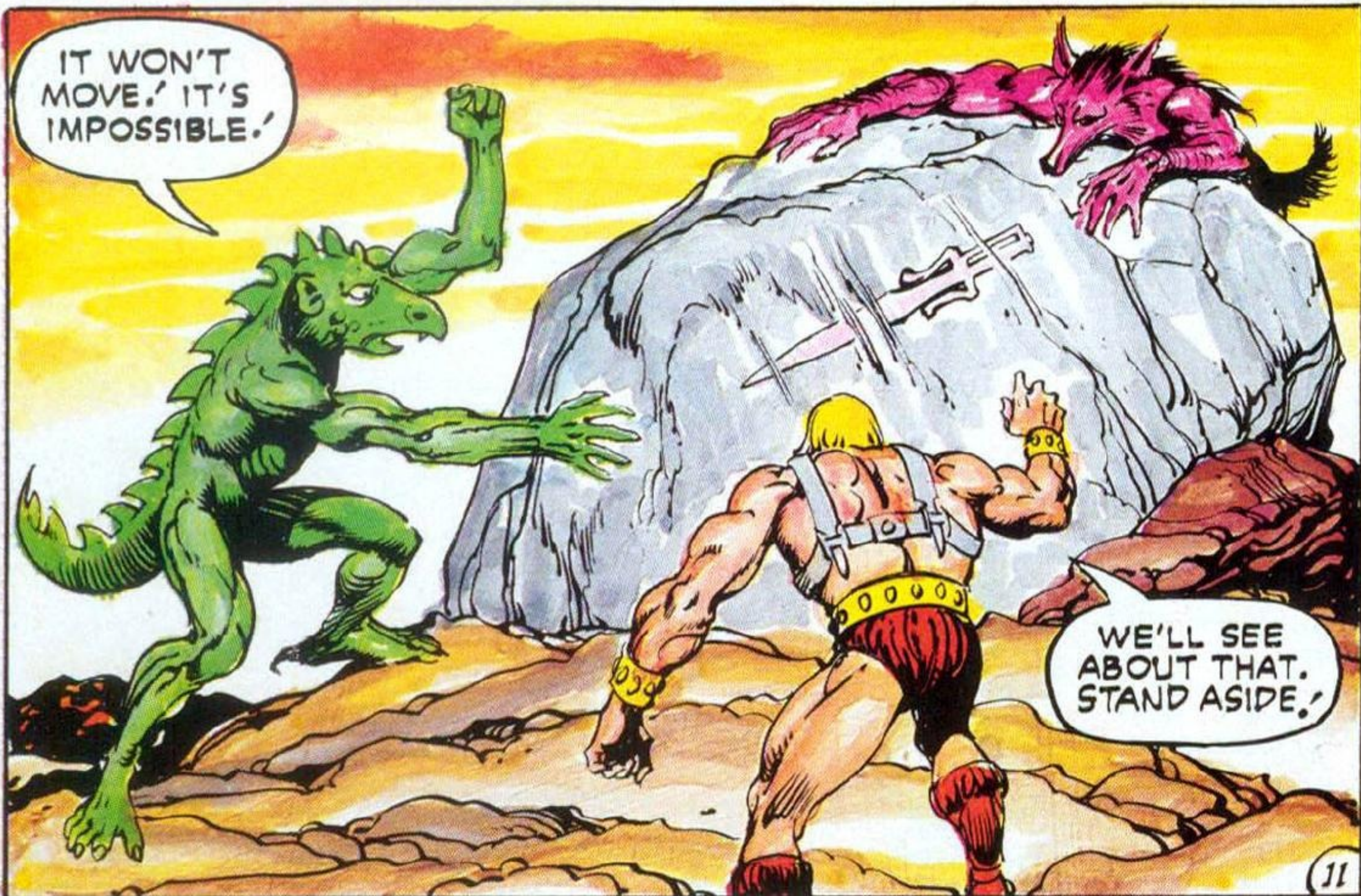
NOT QUICK ENOUGH,
FOUL DEMON--YOU'LL
NEVER HAVE IT!

JUST TRY
TO STOP
US!



IT WON'T
MOVE! IT'S
IMPOSSIBLE!

WE'LL SEE
ABOUT THAT.
STAND ASIDE!



ONLY THE BRAVE,
WISE AND JUST
SHALL WIELD
THE SWORD OF
THE ANCIENTS.

ARGH! HE
PULLS IT OUT
AS IF IT WERE
NOTHING!



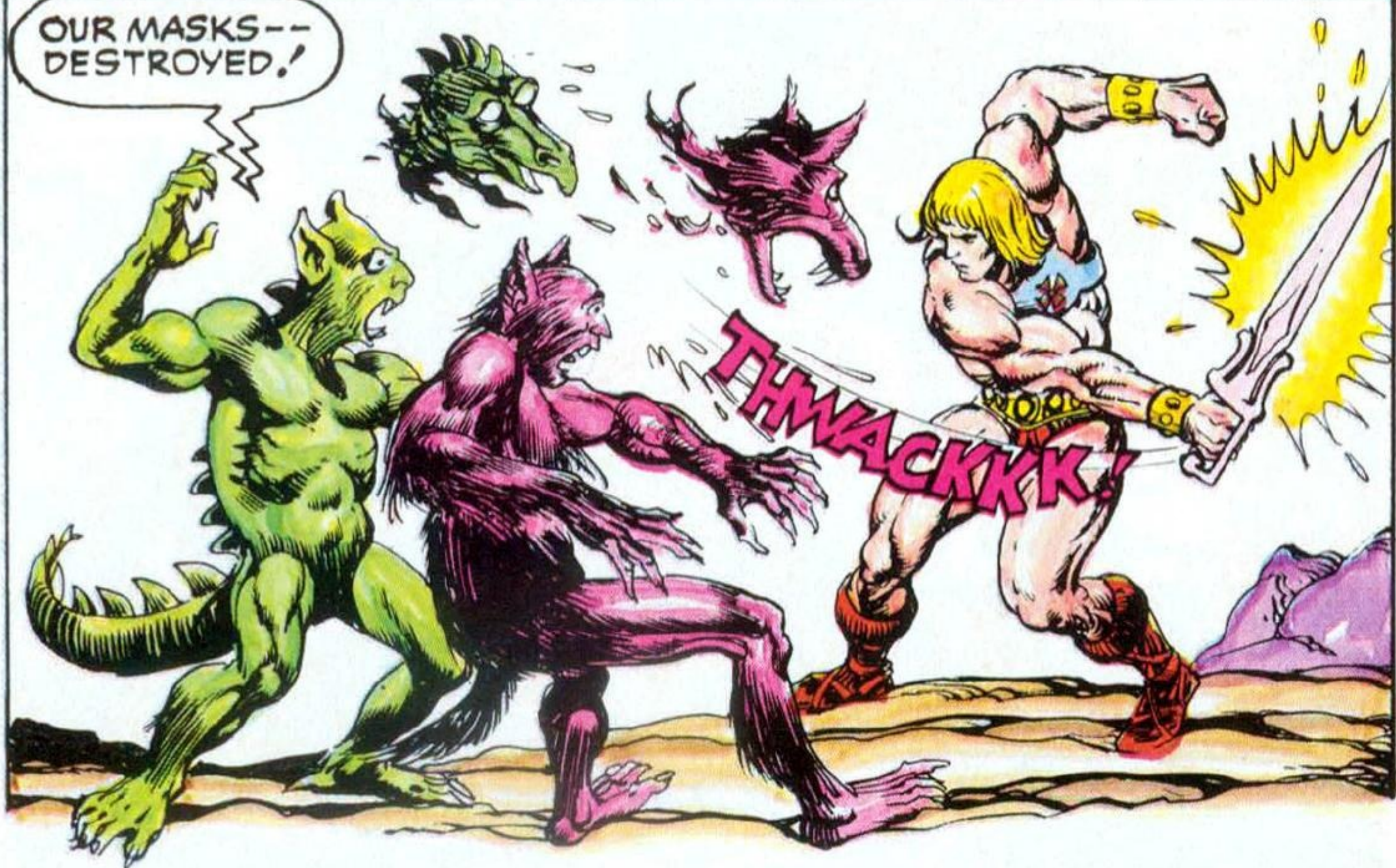
ATTACK!

THE
SWORD!

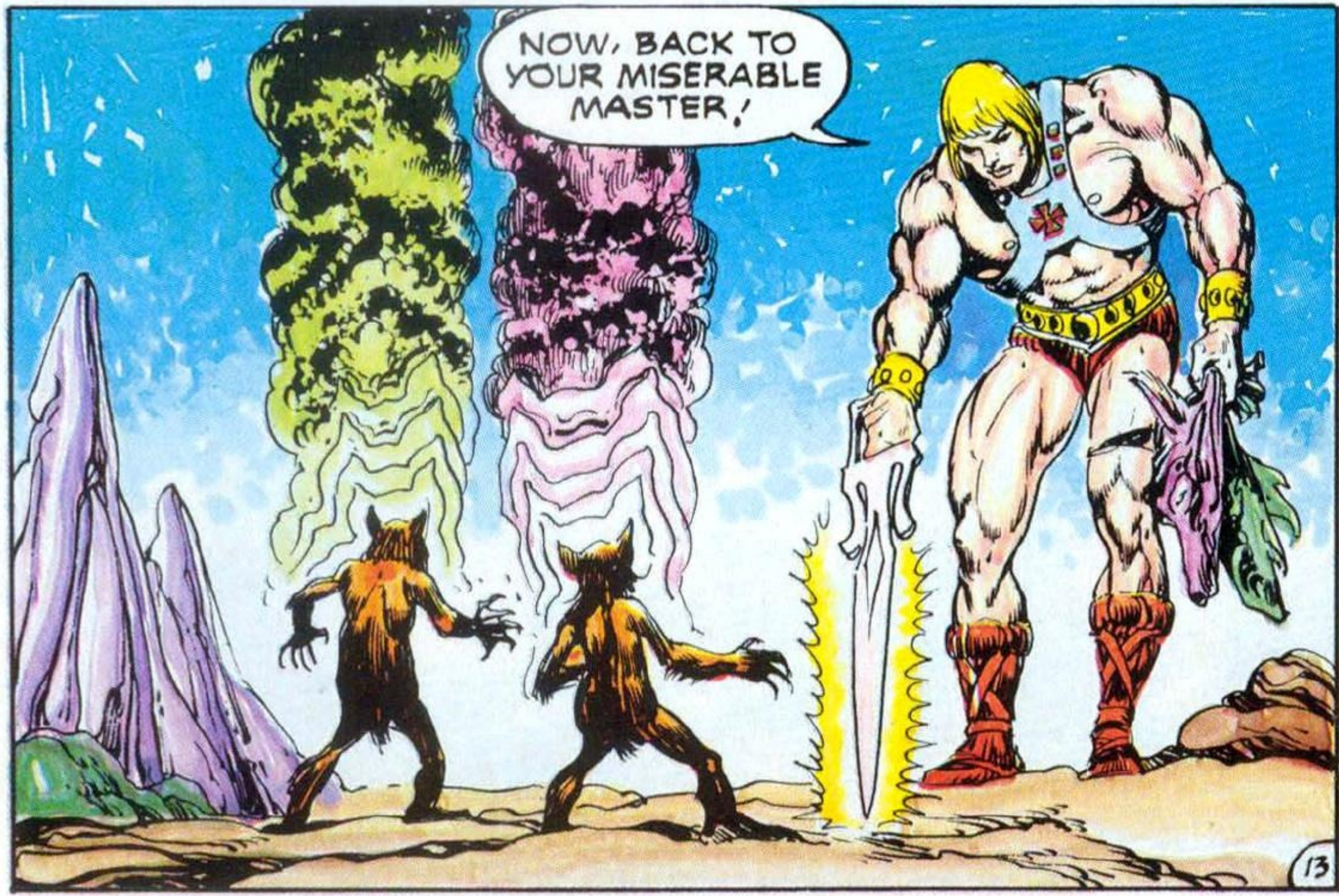
DREADED
DEMONS,
MEET YOUR
DOOM!



OUR MASKS--
DESTROYED!



NOW, BACK TO
YOUR MISERABLE
MASTER!



AHA, HE-MAN--YOU RETURN. YOU SEE, WE **CAN** WORK TOGETHER. RELEASE ME AND WE SHALL RULE ETERNIA TOGETHER.

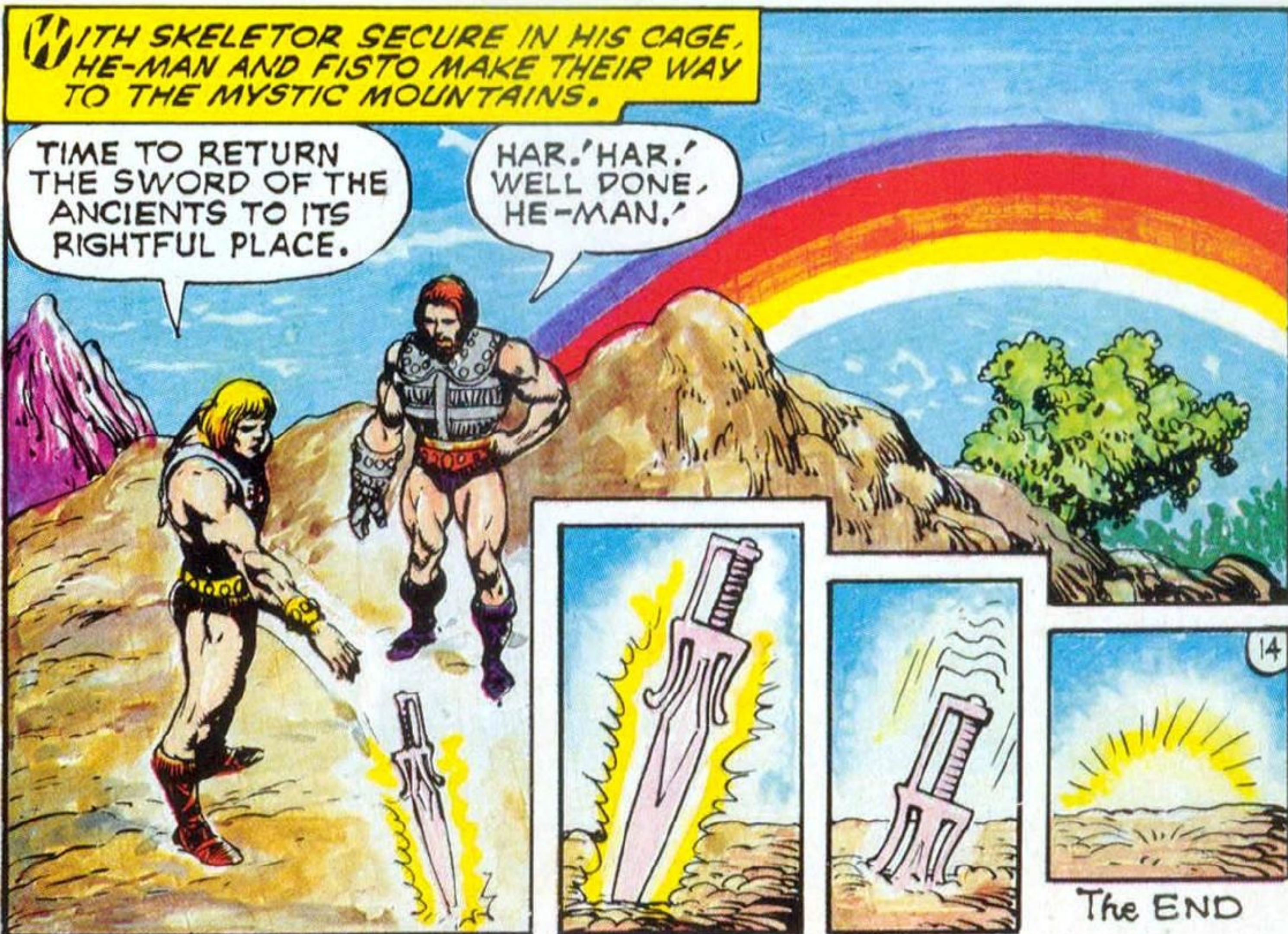
ETERNIA IS SAFER WITH YOU TRAPPED IN THAT CAGE, SKELETOR!

WAIT! YOU CAN'T DO THIS TO ME!

WITH SKELETOR SECURE IN HIS CAGE, HE-MAN AND FISTO MAKE THEIR WAY TO THE MYSTIC MOUNTAINS.

TIME TO RETURN THE SWORD OF THE ANCIENTS TO ITS RIGHTFUL PLACE.

HAR.'HAR.' WELL DONE, HE-MAN.'



The END

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